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Commissioners
Arizona Corporation Commission

Dear members of the Arizona Corporation Commission,

→ Docket Number: E-01345A-16-0036 + E-01345A-16-0123
As an APS customer, the need for APS to invest in costly generation, transmission and distribution is reduced when I reduce my electricity use. However, if APS increases its monthly fixed fee, consumers who work hard to conserve energy and be more energy efficient can't do anything to reduce that fee.

I am writing to urge you to say no to the proposed APS rate hike.

That isn't fair. Please oppose any increase to the basic service charge.

Please also vote no on mandatory residential demand charges. I appreciate that the Commission did not approve these charges in its recent decisions on the UNS Electric and TEP rate cases. Please continue that trend. Charging consumers for the maximum amount of demand used in only one hour of the month is likely to increase what consumers pay each month and decrease incentives to reduce energy use. I have been an APS customer for 28 years. Unfortunately we are only offered APS in my area of Phoenix. I gave a neighbor my clothes dryer many years ago and I line dry everything. I have a very small refrigerator, I do not use lights during the day, etc. I live frugally but also with the environment in mind.

Please say no to unfair utility charges.

Sincerely,

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